FMF Amphibious Reconnaissance Corpsman 8427/8403



The responsibilities of a Reconnaissance Corpsman support Special Operation forces and day to day duties:

Basic Skills

1) Land Navigation
6) Communications
7) Supporting Arms
8) Patrolling
9) Amphibious Skills
10) Demolitions

As a Team Member

6) Basic Airborne / Freefall
7) Open/Closed Circuit diving
8) Clandestine insertion
9) Ship bottom searches
10) Placement of explosive devices
11) Direct Action Missions/Explosive entry
12) Intelligence Representative

Additionally, medical duties and responsibilities include:

6) Sick Call Medicine
7) Preventive Medicine
8) Minor Surgical procedures
9) Paramedic Skills
10) Operate Recompression Chambers
11) Assess/Treat diving disorders

7) Instruct and advise in treatment and prevention of:

-Sports Medicine

-Combat diving

-Military freefall

-Amphibious operations

* Often work independent of a Medical Officer

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Pipeline Schools

Course	Length	Location	Branch
Field Medical Service School	7 weeks	Camp Lejeune, NC	USN
		Camp Pendleton, CA	
Basic Reconnaissance Course	12 weeks	Little Creek, VA	USMC
		Coronado, CA	
Basic Airborne School	3 weeks	Ft. Benning, GA	USA
Combatant Divers Course	8 weeks	Panama City, FL	USMC

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Pipeline Schools

Course	Length	Location	Branch
ARC Diving Medicine Course	3 weeks	Panama City, FL	USN
Special Operations Combat Medics Course	24 weeks	Ft. Bragg, NC	USA
Special Operations Medical Sergeant	22 weeks	Ft. Bragg, NC	USA



Field Medical Service School

Designed to teach the Corpsman the basic skills necessary to function in a Marine Corps unit.

GENERAL SUBJECT AREAS



-Organization and Mission of the Fleet Marine Force
-Planning and Logistics
-Field/Combat Survival Skills



-Weapons/Ordnance Familiarization
-Field Uniforms
-Individual Combat Equipment
-Field Medical Skills
-Casualty Management
-Preventative Medicine and Field Sanitation



Basic Reconnaissance Course/Amphibious Reconnaissance School

Designed to teach the Corpsman the basic skills necessary to operate as a reconnaissance team member. Here you will learn clandestine entry and extraction, beach reconnaissance, and surveillance tactics.



GENERAL SUBJECT AREAS

- Land Navigation
- Communications
- Supporting Arms
- Patrolling
- Reconnaissance & Surveillance Skills
- Amphibious Skills
- Demolition
- Physical/Mental Strengths

Basic Airborne



This school teaches the basic skills necessary for airborne operations:

-Proper landing/PLF

-Proper rigging of combat load

-Maneuvering during descent/right of way

-Conduct aboard the aircraft

-Proper exiting techniques

-Emergency drills



Marine Combatant Divers Course

This course is designed to teach students to effectively operate as reconnaissance dive team member during underwater infiltration



-Open / Closed SCUBA Diving.

-The theory, practice, and use of decompression tables.

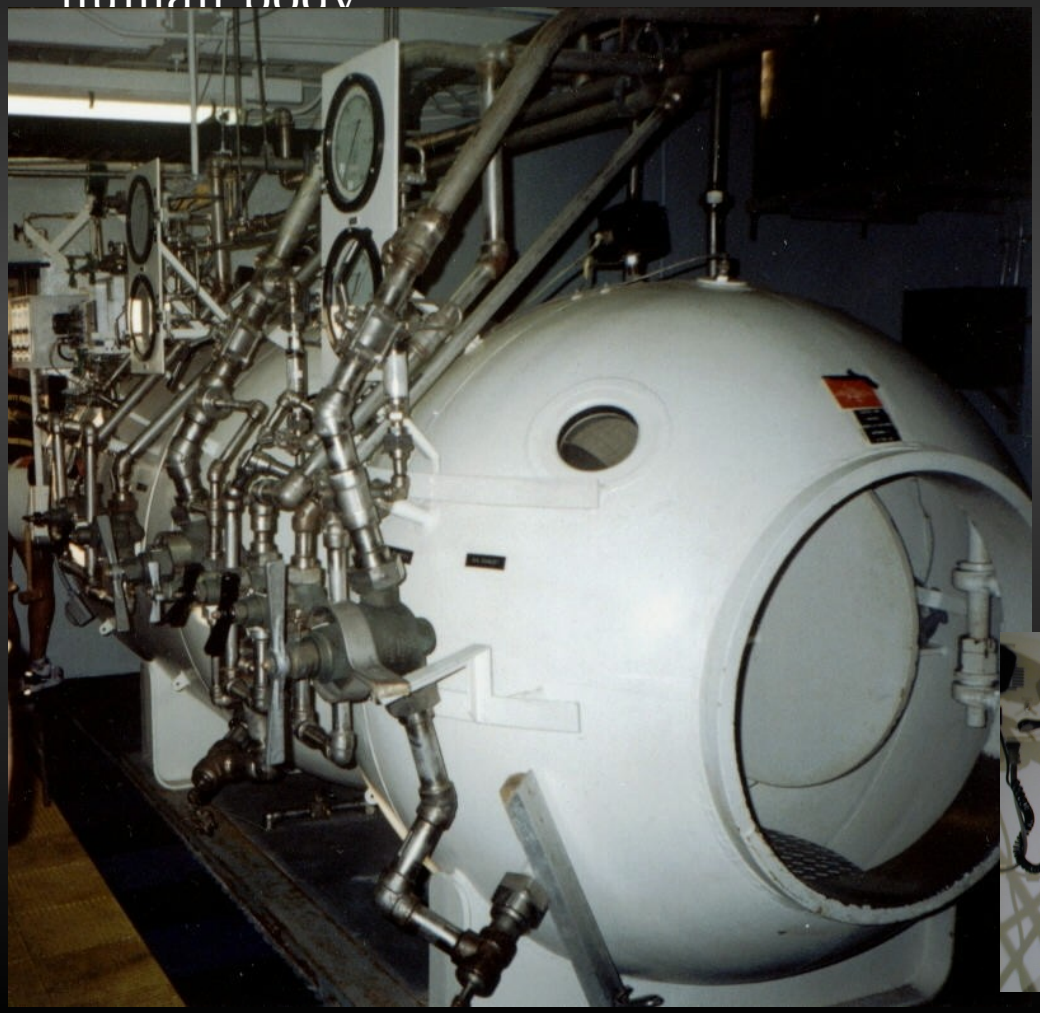
-Diving physics, laws, and medicine

-Underwater searches (including detailed ship-bottom searches).

-Recompression chamber operation

Amphibious Reconnaissance Corpsman Diving Medicine Course

This course focuses on medicine and underwater physiology to enable the hospital corpsman to understand the effects of pressure on the human body.



-How to recognize and treat diving disorders and related injuries.

-Operation of a recompression chamber.

-Duties of the inside



Special Operations Combat Medics Course

Duties and Responsibilities: The SOCM 18D provides U.S. forces, allied and indigenous personnel preventive medical, dental and medical care within the limits of his training and subject to the remote or proximate supervision of a physician.



Consists of four phases;

1) Anatomy and Physiology
2) ACLS / Paramedic
3) Clinical Rotations:
   - 2 weeks in hospital
   - 2 weeks attending ACLS Ambulance
4) Military Medicine



SPECIAL PAYS

-Basic Airborne
$150.00

-Military Free Fall $220.00

-Combatant Diver $215.00

-DEMO
$175.00

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Selective Reenlistment Bonus

8427
-Zone A = 4.0
-Zone B = 4.0
-Zone C = 0.5

Max



8403
-Zone A = 0.0
-Zone B = 4.0

Max $30,000





Duty Stations

Sea Duty

-1ST MARDIV / 1ST MEF Camp Pendleton, CA

-2ND MARDIV / 2ND MEF Camp Lejuene, NC

-3RD MARDIV / 5th MEF Okinawa, Japan

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Duty Stations







Duty Stations

Shore Duty

-Albuquerque, NM
-Anchorage, AK
-Billings, MT
-Kaneohe Bay, HI
-Mobile, AL
-Reno, NV
-San Antonio, TX

Instructor Duty

-Hospital Corps School, IL
-Field Medical Service School, CA
-Basic Reconnaissance Course, CA
-Basic Reconnaissance Course, VA
-Combatant Dive School, FL
-SOCM/18D SOMTB, NC
-Marine Mountain Warfare Center, CA
-SERE, CA

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Screening and Evaluation Criteria

Candidates should be or possess:

-Male
-35 years of age or younger
-In the HM rating
-E-5 or below
-AR/WK 100 minimum **(updated June 2000)**
-Minimal overall performance rating of 3.0
-No Non-judicial convictions for 12 months and no court martial convictions for 24 months
-US citizen and able to obtain a secret security clearance

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Medical

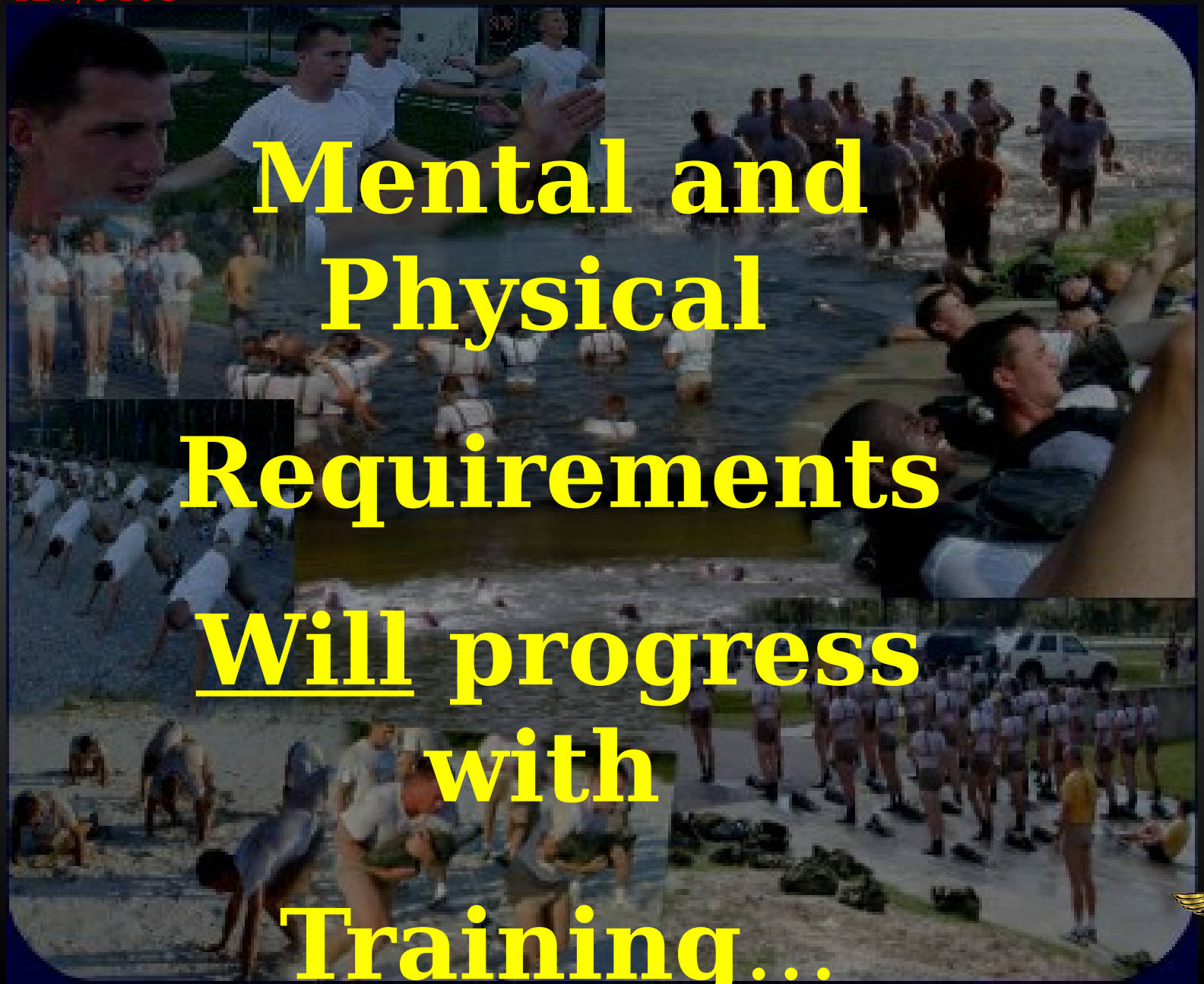
Candidates must have:

-Diving medical exam completed (as per MANMED 15-66) within 6 months of application for training with NO WAIVERS PENDING.

PHYSICAL FITNESS SCREENING

- 500yd swim utilizing breast/side or combo in 12:30 or less
- 10 Minute Rest period
- Max effort pushups in 2:00 - 42 minimum
- Two minute rest period
- Max effort situps in 2:00 - 50 minimum
- Two minute rest period
- Max effort pullups - 6 minimum
- 10 Minute rest period
- 1.5 mile timed run in boots/utility trousers in 11:30 or less

*MILPERSMAN art. 1410380


Mental and Physical
Requirements
Will progress with
Training…

APPLICATION PACKAGE REQUIREMENTS

- Any Command Fitness Coordinator may proctor the Physical Screening in the absence of a

  Recon/SpecWar/Dive Motivator

- Any Command Career Counselor may screen candidates for suitability.

- A memo documenting the results of the Physical Screening Test and favorable suitability for Recon training

APPLICATION PACKAGE REQUIREMENTS(Cont.)

- Pages 3/4/5 of the Service Record
- Dive Physical
- PRT Folder
- Last 3 evals (if applicable)
- ENTNAC security clearance
- 1306 signed by the Commanding Officer

Contact: Command Career Counselor

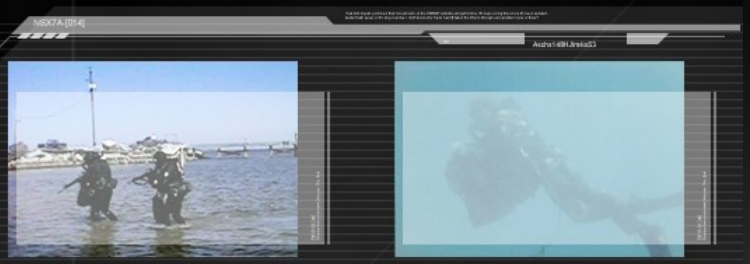
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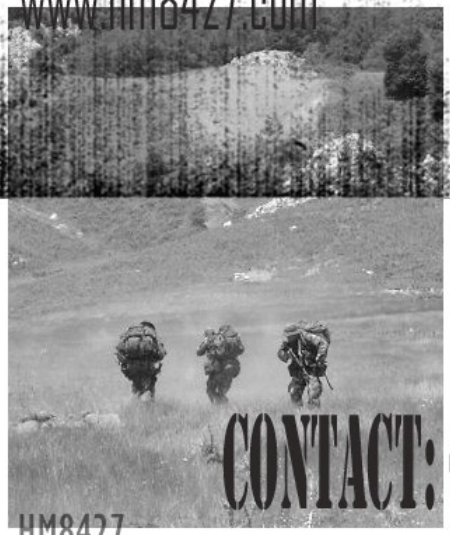






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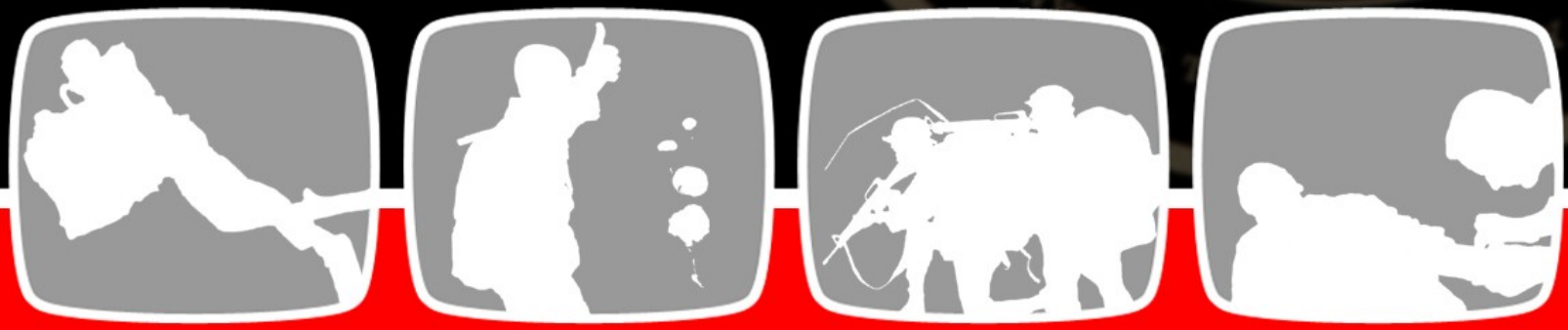
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